Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities (Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2001, through February 9, 2002, has been 21 percent warmer than last year and 16 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/01	Previous 07/01/00	Normal 07/01 thru 02/09	Percent Change	
				Current	Current
	thru	thru		vs. Previous	vs. Normal
	02/09/02	02/09/01			
J.S. Total, Population-Weighted	2,460	3,099	2,936	-21	-16
	2,460	3,099	2,930	-21	-10
Cities					
Albuquerque	2,649	3,095	3,019	-14	-12
Amarillo	2,411	3,143	2,869	-23	-16
Asheville	2,452	3,036	2,843	-19	-14
Atlanta	1,579	2,269	2,097	-30	-25
Billings	3,884	4,716	4,569	-18	-15
Boise	3,386	3,997	3,836	-15	-12
Boston	2,779	3,562	3,418	-22	-19
Buffalo	3,317	4,207	4,092	-21	-19
Cheyenne	4,028	4,708	4,456	-14	-10
Chicago	3,347	4,348	4,180	-23	-20
Cincinnati	2,782	3,680	3,442	-24	-19
Cleveland	3,063	3,992	3,830	-23	-20
Columbia,SC	1,524	2,153	1,875	-29	-19
Denver	3,483	4,180	3,799	-17	-8
Des Moines	3,359	4,565	4,297	-26	-22
Detroit	3,249	4,127	4,115	-21	-21
- argo	4,936	6,056	6,004	-18	-18
Hartford	3,186	4,065	3,902	-22	-18
Houston	987	1,427	1,171	-31	-16
Jacksonville	753	1,296	1,041	-42	-28
Kansas City	2,848	3,918	3,621	-27	-21
Las Vegas	1,527	1,675	1,711	-9	-11
Los Angeles	792	827	773	-4	2
Memphis	1,745	2,521	2,173	-31	-20
Miami	65	180	156	-64	-58
Milwaukee	3,476	4,433	4,527	-22	-23
Minneapolis	3,977	5,146	5,219	-23	-24
Montgomery	1,409	1,988	1,606	-29	-12
New York	2,205	3,025	3,035	-27	-27
Oklahoma City	2,222	2,927	2,553	-24	-13
Omaha	3,349	4,365	4,209	-23	-20
Philadelphia	2,312	3,185	3,158	-27	-27
Phoenix	758	878	941	-14	-19
Pittsburgh	3,029	3,945	3,787	-23	-20
Portland, ME	3,738	4,435	4,498	-16	-17
Providence	2,951	3,651	3,567	-19	-17
Raleigh	1,981	2,546	2,340	-22	-15
Richmond	2,100	2,868	2,654	-27	-21
St. Louis	2,495	3,586	3,197	-30	-22
Salem, OR	2,673	2,916	2,977	-8	-10
Salt Lake City	3,777	3,978	3,751	-5	1
San Francisco	1,551	1,708	1,792	-9	-13
Seattle	2,893	2,953	2,983	-2	-3
Shreveport	1,440	2,025	1,646	-29	-13
Washington, DC	2,105	2,932	2,668	-28	-21

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal heating degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note: The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,700 and the normal is 4,575. A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.